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October 25, 2004

REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL

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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is a request for filing a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 CFR 1.114 of pending prior application Serial No. 09/728,889 filed on December 2, 2000. The present application data includes:

Application No.: 09/728,889

Filed: December 2, 2000

Applicants : Victor R. STEFANOVIC et al.

Title : TOROIDALLY WOUND INDUCTION MOTOR-GENERATOR WITH

SELECTABLE NUMBER OF POLES AND VECTOR CONTROL

Art Unit : 2834

Examiner : Gonzalez, J.

Attorney Doc. : 199-1306 - 0059/055001

A Preliminary Amendment that includes the subject matter of the Amendment is enclosed. A petition for four (4) months extension of time is filed concurrently herewith to maintain copendency.

Prior to further examination and calculation of the fees for this application, please enter the attached Preliminary Amendment.

The required fees are calculated below:

RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) \$790.00

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Following entry of the Preliminary Amendment, the required claim fees are as follows:

Total Claims $\frac{11}{4} - \frac{20}{3} = \frac{0}{1}$ \$ 0.00 DA \$88.00 DA \$88.00 DA

TOTAL FEE DUE:

\$878.00

The \$878.00 fee required for this application is currently due. Please charge this fee to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0059/055001. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached. It is believed that this fee covers all of the required fees for this application, however, if any additional fees are required please charge these required fees to Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0059/055001.

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If any additional fee is required, or if it appears that a telephone conference would help to advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned at 202-530-5900.

Please continue to recognize the following address at the corresponding address: Customer Number 22893.

Respectfully submitted,

Reg. No. 32,548

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

AND

NOTIFICATION OF FILING OF REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 24, 2003, applicants hereby notify the USPTO about the concurrently filed Request for Continued Examination (RCE).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for an extension of time for four (4) months to October 25, 2004, (since October 24, 2004 is a Sunday) thereby maintaining copendancy to file an RCE.

No extension of time has been previously obtained following the Notice of Appeal filed April 26, 2004. Thus a fee of \$1,530.00 for an extension of four months pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17 and 1.136(a) is required.

Transmittal Letter and Petition for Extension of Time and Notification of Filing of Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Application No. 09/728,889 October 25, 2004 Page 2

The payment \$1,530.00 for the extension of time is currently due. The Commissioner is authorized to charge this \$1,530.00 fee and any other fees which may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-2586 referencing Attorney Docket No. 0059/055001. The \$790.00 filing fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e) for filing the RCE and the \$88.00 Extra Independent Claim Fee are authorized to be paid as stated in the accompanying RCE Transmittal Letter.

If any fees are required to maintain this application in pending status for the purpose of filing the RCE, the USPTO is authorized to charge these amounts to our Deposit Account No. 19-2586, referencing Attorney Docket No. 0059/055001.

Respectfully submitted,

Date: October 25, 2004

Randolph A. Smit Reg. No. 32,548

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